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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
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Application No.: 10/593,846

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Art Unit: 1656

For: CHIMERIC CANNULAE PROTEINS,
NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING THEM AND
METHODS FOR MAKING AND USING
THEM

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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COMMUNICATION PURSUANT TO 35 USC §42(d) AND 37 C.F.R. §2.209

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a refund of fees paid by mistake as set forth by 35 USC §42(d) and 37 C.F.R. §2.209.

On December 26, 2007, \$3,055.00 in fees were charged to deposit account 03-1952 for the above referenced application for the Examination Fee (\$100.00), the Search Fee (\$50.00), an Excess Pages Fee (\$125.00), Excess Claims Fees (\$2,600.00) and Multiple Dependant Claims Fees (\$180.00). An excerpt of the deposit account for these fees is attached hereto as Exhibit A. This application was submitted to the USPTO Receiving Office on September 21, 2006.

35 USC §42(d) and 37 C.F.R. §2.209 allows for refund of money paid by mistake.

The listed fees were charged based on a check in a box authorizing payment of additional fees required on the transmittal of the application at the time of filing the application. This box was checked in error by a secretary who was training to file National Stage applications, and did not understand that this box was not to be checked when a National Stage application is being filed while paying only the Basic Fee. It was not intended that all of the filing and claims fees be paid at that time. Applicant will pay the required fees in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements.

Applicant now requests in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.28, **a total refund of \$3,055.00 be made to Deposit Account No. 03-1952, ref. Docket No. 564462006801** in that the fees were paid by mistake. Applicant's request has been timely asserted in accordance with C.F.R. §1.28(a).

If it is determined that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number given below.

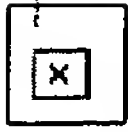
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